

## OHIP Coverage

The Ontario Ministry of Health and Long Term Care's Assistive Devices Program (ADP) will cover the cost of the device up to a maximum amount for patients with a valid Ontario Health Insurance Plan (OHIP) card issued by the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care.

Clients are responsible for payment of any costs associated with the device, its components, service or repairs not covered by ADP. For more information about the Assistive Devices Program and other potential sources of financial assistance, please contact ADP at (416) 327-8804.



## Prosthetics and Orthotics

Enabling amputees and others with physical disabilities to live fuller, more independent lives



Established in 1979 to support West Park Healthcare Centre's excellent Amputee Rehabilitation program.

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# Prosthetics • Orthotics

## • Amputee Rehabilitation

West Park Healthcare Centre's Prosthetic and Orthotic Service is a full service manufacturing facility where certified and specially trained staff design and build state-of-the-art prostheses (artificial limbs) and orthoses (orthopaedic braces) to improve the quality of life and independence of our patients. It is the only adult amputee rehabilitation program in the GTA with onsite manufacturing capabilities.

## Our Team

Our team of multidisciplinary healthcare professionals include prosthetic/orthotic clinicians and technicians certified by the Canadian Board for Certification of Prosthetists and Orthotists (CBCPO). We participate as instructors in one of only two accredited Prosthetics and Orthotics teaching programs in Canada.



CBCPO is recognized internationally for its adherence to the highest standards for CBCPO certification, registration, facility accreditation and professional discipline programs.



Accreditation is consumers' assurance of quality care.

## Our Services

### For inpatients

- Wound management and assessments to determine prosthetic candidacy
- The creation and fitting of a temporary prosthesis for the early stages of the rehabilitation program
- Monitoring of proper prosthesis fit and alignment
- Functional prosthetic use training by physiotherapists and occupational therapists
- Regular follow-up pending permanent prosthesis fitting

### For outpatients

- Personal assessments and prescription recommendations
- Manufacturing of prosthetic limbs and orthopaedic braces
- Consultations with West Park's orthopaedic specialists and physiatrists
- Modifications, adjustments or replacements of existing assistive devices, as appropriate

## Our Clients

Clients are adults 18 years of age and older who:

- have undergone limb amputation and would benefit from the use of an artificial replacement (prosthesis);  
*and/or*
- have a neurological, muscular or skeletal impairment where mobility and independence can be improved by the use of an orthopaedic brace (orthosis);  
*and/or*
- are a Workplace Safety and Insurance Board (WSIB) client.

Through individualized assessments and treatment, we work with patients and their families to improve their health and quality of life.

*Patients can also access fee-for-service care such as massage therapy, acupuncture, chiropractic, chiroprody, occupational therapy, physiotherapy and warm pool therapy to complement their rehabilitation.*

